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A revised draft notification in place of the draft at page 27-31 ante is sent herewith, subject to the following observations.

2. It appears that the Commr. of Police has made rules under his notification No.11851/ACT, dated 21st December 1903 under clauses (f) (i) and (g) of sub-section (1) of section 22 of the City of Bombay Police Act, 1902, both in respect of the keeping of places of public amusement and the keeping of places of public entertainment. In so far as the rules in respect of the public amusement are concerned, the notification has been superseded by the notification issued by the Commissioner of Police on the 11th August 1914 (please see pages 1861-1894 of Part I of the Bombay Government Gazette dated 13th August 1914). It, however, appears that a further set of rules prescribing the procedure in accordance with which a licence in respect of keeping the places of public amusement or public entertainment is to be obtained and fixing the fees to be charged therefor have been made under the Commissioner of Police notification, dated the 25th March 1903. This last notification seems to have been further modified by a subsequent notification as appears from the police handbook in which the said notification has been reproduced (which contains all the amendments). The Commr. of Police has not referred in his draft the particulars of the notification which is proposed to be amended. As it is not known which of the notifications issued by the Commissioner of Police under clauses (f) (i), (g) and (h) are still in force and which of them have been superseded, it would be advisable to issue a self-contained single fresh notification under the said three clauses embodying therein all the amendments, the draft of which is sent herewith.

If, however, the Home Department is satisfied that

the Commissioner's Notification No.11851/Act, dated the 21st December 1903 and the Commissioner's Notification, dated the 25th March 1903 prescribing the procedure for obtaining a licence and fixing the fees therefor referred to in the revised draft are still in force, the revised draft notification may issue.

Id/-J.R.D. 8/3
Additional Secretary to Government,

U.R. to H.D.No. 3276 dated the 9th March 1950.

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